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Group : 3628  
Docket : END920000177US1

Entitled : SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROCESSING  
TAX CODES BY COMPANY GROUP

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**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES:**

Application Type	FILING FEES Fee(\$)	SEARCH FEES Fee(\$)	EXAMINATION FEES Fee(\$)	Fee Paid(\$)
Utility	300	500	200	0
Reissue	300	500	600	
Provisional	200	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM(S) FEES**

Fee Description

Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, over 20 and more than in the parent patent  
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, more than in original

	Extra Claims	Fee(\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
<u>Total Claims</u>	- 20 or HP =	0 x \$ 50 =	0
<u>Indep Claims</u>	- 3 or HP =	0 x \$200 =	0
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